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<b>Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal</b>	Application No.:	09/611,562
	Filing Date:	July 7, 2000
	First Named Inventor:	MASAHIRO KOBAYASHI
	Group Art Unit:	3743
	Examiner:	DUONG, THO V.
	Attorney Docket No.:	JCLA6244-C1-R

This is a **Request for Continued Examination (RCE)** under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114.**

a.  Previously submitted

( ) Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
 ( ) Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

b.  Enclosed

(X) Preliminary Amendment.  
 ( ) Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**2. Miscellaneous**

a. ( ) Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.  
 b. ( ) Associate Power of Attorney.

**3. Fees are calculated as follows:**

CLAIMS AS FILED					
NUMBER FILED	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
Basic Fee			\$ 750	\$ 750	
Total Claims	7 MINUS 20	= 0 x	\$ 18	= \$ 0	
Independent Claims	3 MINUS 3	= 0 x	\$ 84	= \$ 0	
[ 3 ] month(s) extension of time is hereby requested.				Time Extension Fee	= \$ 930
					Total: \$ 1680

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